Conventions of Writing Extra Credit

3 Paragraph Mini Essay

Directions: Using your outside reading book (or a book you read in the past) – respond to the following question in 3 paragraphs following the format indicted below. Remember, the answer to the question = your thesis.

Question: What kind of person is the main character? (Make a character judgment: Ex, Katniss is brave; Romeo is foolish, etc)

Intro: Introduce the book, author, main conflict, etc. Then the answer to the question is the thesis.

Body Paragraph: Follow the steps of the analytical paragraph (thus – find a quote that supports your thesis).

Conclusion: Restate thesis – maybe connect the thesis to what happens to the character in the story (overall or so far).